

## THE ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER: DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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- Why do you think Tom Sawyer had to paint the fence?
- What was Tom Sawyer's wonderful idea?
- Did Tom Sawyer's idea work well? Why?
- How was Tom Sawyer's idea different from what you thought he would do before you finished the chapter?
- Why do you think the other boys wanted to paint the fence?
- Why did the boys give Tom Sawyer their treasures to paint the fence?
- Did Tom Sawyer finish painting the fence?
- Why did Tom Sawyer stop having the boys paint the fence?
- From this chapter, how would you describe Tom Sawyer? Is he lazy? Mean? Smart? Why do you think that?
- Do you like Tom Sawyer?